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Local Manager. Hongk ng, May 17, 1897. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. Hoogkong, 17th May, 1897.

I have this Day Assumed CHARGE of the Company's Business in Horogroup. By Order of the Board of Directors,

W. H. T. DAVIS,
Acting Manager

Intimations.

BANK HOLIDAY.

TN accordance with Ordinance No. 8 of 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business, on MONDAY, the 24th Instant,—the day appointed in this Colony for the Celebration of the ANNI-VERSARY of the BIRTHDAY of HER GRACIOUS MAJESTY the QUEEN. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,'

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The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd. Hongkong, May 18, 1897.

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Manila..... Esmeralda (a)...... Shewan, Tomes & Co. May 21, at 5 p.m. Messageries Maritimes May 22, at noon. Marsoilles v. Saiger. Sydney (a)..... Messageries Maritimes May 26, at noon. Nag saki, Kobe & Y'ma Tokio Maru (s) ...... Nippon Yussen Kaisha. May 24, at 4 p.m. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About May 30. Shewan, Tomes & Co. About May 22. Amhold Karberg & Co. Quick despatch. New York...... Clan Manckenzie..... S. Francisco, v. Japa City of Rio de J'iro (s) Pacific Mail S. S. Co., May 20, daylight. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. May 21, daylight. Shewan, Tomes & Co. Quick despatch, San Francisco...... Falls of Dec...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co May 21, at noon. S'hai, Kobé & Y'hama Afridi (s)..... Messageries Maritime About May 22. Shanghai, Kobé & Y'ma Caledonien (5)...... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. May 28, at noon. S'pore, Penang & C'tt Lightning (1)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. May 21, at noon. S'tow, Amoy & F'ohow Haitan (8)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. M y 20, at noon. Swatow, Amoy & T'su Hailoong (a) ..... Canadian P to 1. Co. June 9 at noon, Vancouver (B.C.), & Empress o China (s) ... Nippon Yusen Keisha, Je ne 4. at 4 p.m. Wiadiwostock, v. S'hai Nagato Maru (a)...... Butterfield & Swire ... May 20, at noon, Yokohama and Kobé. Taiyuan (8)..... Siemsson & Co..... May 21, daylight. Yokohama and Kobé. Thekla(8) ..... Nippen Yusen Kuiaha. May 20, at noon. Yokohama..... Sakura Maru (8) .

Frejr, Danish steamer, 395, Funder, Pakhot May 17, and Hollow 18, General. -A. R. MARTY. Nanyo Maru, Japanese str., 2,357, T.

Kasuga, Saigon M. v 14. Rice for Kobe, Box Plan at ROBINSON'S. Smiling begins General for Hongkong. - Dodwell, Carlill Rose, British barque, 793, J. Garrick.

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May 19. Meefoo, for Canton. Loonymoon, for Canton. Empress o Jopin, for Vancouver, B.C. Sungkiang, for Amoy. the 22nd May, 1897, Commencing at 2.30 Dante, for Saigon. p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-Kachidate Maru, for Kulchinotzu, Glenfolloch, for Amoy.

Kuongsang, for Canton. CLEARED. City of Rio de Janeiro, for San Francisco. Fulls of Dee, for San Francisco. Harloong, for Swatow. Siam, for Hongay.

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Glenfallock, from Penang, &c., 960 Por Haitan, from Coast Ports, Madame and Master Popoff, Very Rev. Archdeacon, Clayton, Petel, Queen, and Hung Hing For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-Miss and Mr Wolfe, Mesors B wley, Looker, Chuen, and 79 Chinese. Per Hanoi, from H show, Mesars Aubert,

Lucian Carlotti, and Greffier, and 34 Chi-Per Afridi, from Singapore. 80 Chinese.

Per Freir, from Pakboi, 24 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Empress of Japan, from Hongkong for Shanghai, Baron Bonnet, Messrs Guillajo, H. Vellner, W. A Cr. ickshank, Lum Kuk Yee and servant, Rev. W. H. Grant ; for Negasaki, Capt. Tillett, Mesers Woo Sok Wing and Tong Sen Hing; for Kobe, Mrs McNair and maid, Mr Hamilton ; for Yokohama, Mrs Ede, Miss Patter- 5 P.M. Post Office closes. Messra R. Isacke, Paul Colomb, 1021 and Rawson-Walker; for Portland, Mr MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. Mry Chung Yung, Mr Moy Pek Fat, Mrs and Miss Moy, Mr and Mrs Lee Pond; for San Francisco, Dr Heald, Mesers D. S. S. Davin and Lawrence; for Banif, Mr A. Coxon ; for Burlington; Mr and Mrs Seymour ; for Toronto, Drand Mrs Thompson ; for Havre, Mr Chaudoir and valet; for Paris, Mr and Mra Ugo Cahen; for London, Commander Gere-Brown, R.N. The Captain SOMMERVILLE, servant, Mr and Mrs Glendinning, Mr and Mrs MacHaffie and child. above on FRIDAY, the 21st Instant, at Lient, W. M. Thompson, R.E., L'eut, H. J. W. Neville, R N., Meesra E. D. Mallinson, R.N., W. MacBean, Saville, Hill, W. R. C. Mooraon, R. N., and Sur. -Col. Johnstone. From Shanghai: for London, Mr 1616 H. Ashton. From Yokohama : for Vancouver, Mrs A. S. Lewis, Miss Humphreys, and Mr C. B. Humphreys. From Yoko-

bama : for London, Lady Buller, Mr E. Tritton, Mr and Mrs Rodger, Mr H. U. Simons, Mr and Mrs H. W. McConaghey. To DEPART. Per Coromandel, from Hongkong: for Singapore, Mr L. H. Clayton ; for Bombay, Mr F. D. Mistry; for Brindisi, Mr and Miss Balbas and 3 children, and Miss E. Loyzaya; for London, Mr J. T. Cassels, Miss Griffith, Mossra J. L. Prosser, C. W. Rameden, Ewing, and E. F. Smith. From Yokohama: for Colombo, Messrs E. W. Leaf, W. George, R. Suttle, J. Callis, W. Miller; for Brindisi, Mr G: Beesley; for London, Mr and Mrs St. John, Miss N. Smith, Mesara Johnstone and J. H. Steele. From Kobe: for Sydney, Mr and Mrs Keogh, and Miss Keogh; for London, Messes D. Murray, T. McCabe, J. Lightfoot, and R. McDo wall. From Nagasaki: for Singapore, Mrs Kasono Umi. From Shanghai : for Singapore, Mr. MacKenzie; for Calcutta, Mrs Addis and infants; for London, Miss Leggott, W. Ports on FRIDAY, the 21st Instant, at Lloyd Jones, G. Howell, Mrs Howell and

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Haitan reports: Left Foothew 16th inst., and experienced moderate winds and sea, with misty westher. Left Amoy 17th inst., and experienced moderate winds and sea, with foggy and sometimes very thick weather. Left Swatow 18th inst, and experienced moderate winds and smooth sea. A little rain fell during night, and was accompanied by thunder and lightning, but otherwise a Berometer .... 29.77 fine clear moonlight night. Steamer in Temperature | 85 Foochow : Fooksang. Steamers in Amoy : Hamidity ... Progress and Clara. Steamers in Swatow : Chowfa, Tamsui, and Kiang-nani The British steamer Afrik reports: Light winds and fine throughout. May 15, spoke ship Ethus Richmers, steering North, lat. 7.28 N., long. 108 30 E.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close: For HONGAY .-

Per Siam, at 8 a.m., on Thursday, the 20th May, For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Hailcony, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 20th May. For YOKOHAMA .-Per Sakura Marti, at 10.80 a.m., on

Thursday, the 10th May. For FOOGHOW .-Per Kants, at 10.80 a.m., on Thurse day, the 20th May. FOR YOKOHAMA & KORE. Par Tolyam, et 10.80 a.m., on Thursder the Pris May

## MEMOS. FOR TO-MURROW. Shipping.

Rio de Janeiro leaves for Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco. Noon. - Hailoong leaves for Swatow.

Noon .- Taiyuan leaves for Thams, &c. Noon. - Sakura Mars leaves for Y'hama. Noon,-English Mail Steamer leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Auctions.

2.39 p.m. -Auction of Japanese Goods, &c., at Mr. J. M. Armstrong's. Meetings.

Company's Office. Lodge.

Miscellaneous. Goods per Lightning undelivered after a p.m. this date landed.

General Memoranda. FRIDAY, May 21 :--

SATURDAY, May 22 :--Noon.-Meeting of A. S. Watson and The Hongkong Disponsary. ture, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's.

Goods per Bombay not cleared after p.m. subject to rent. MONDAY, May 24:-

TUESDAY, May 26 :-Per Thekla, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the Goods per Thokla undelivered after. this date subject to rent. Goods per Afridi undelivered after

> Exchange HONGRONG, May 19, 1897.

On London-Bank, Wire, ... ... On demand. Credits, 4 Documentary, 4 months' sights, ... 2,0 On Paris-On demand, Oredits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-Demand, ... ... 2.02 On New York-

Per Omi Maru, Registration at 3 p.m., Letters at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 21st May. (Supplementary on On Bombay-For NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKO-Wire, \*\*\* On demand, Per Benvoirlich, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, | On Calcutta-On demand.

Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, On Shanghai-Silver (per Oz.) ... ees ees ees Par Chingta, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday,

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Rio de Janciro, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 19th May, with Mails for Amoy, Bhanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honoiula, Peru, &c., which will be LIMITED. closed as follows :--

P.M. Registry ceases.

The British Contract Packet Coromand's will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 20th May, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and coun-tries beyond, vid Brindin; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in closing the Malls, &c.

BOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they eave at Noon. The Money Order Office, will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and PRICES.

Circulars coases, (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all

10.00 A.M.—Registry coases. 10.30 A.M.—Peating of Newspapers, Books, and Patterns coases. 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may be posted (from

11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 a.M., after which hourthey may be sent on Board with the same Late

Quotations. HONGEONG, May 19, 1897. OPIUM-New Patna, cash, ... \$665 cash, 7224 Now Benares, cash, 607 New Malwa, credit, 76 /780 Allowance, Taels,... 0/80 Old Malwa, credit, 800/830 Allowance, Taels,... 16/24 Persian, Oily, cash,. --Allowance, Taols,... Persian, Paper tied 610

Allowance, Taols, ... 8/16 Hongkong Register. 10 m.m. Jaystap.m. 29.82 74 Direction of

F. G. Frae, First Assistant, Hongkong Observatory, May 19: 1897. Temperature.

(Token at Masers Falconer & Co.'s Promuse, Queen's Road.) Horazona, May 19, 1897. BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... ... 29.61 1 Pollings | Dar 4 Pallers on 28.78 Гинвионитан-9 Али 1 Pollings and A B. Mines and (Wet buib) 9 A.M. Do. 17.2. Do. 17.2.

Noon.-P. M. S. S. Co.'s Str. City of

4 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Green Island Cement Co., Ld., at the 5.30 p.m .- Meeting of Perseverance

Goods per Kaisar-i-Hind not cleared after 4 p.m. subject to rent,

Co. Limited in the Board Room at 2.30 p.m. -Auction of Household Forni-SUNDAY, May 93:-

Local Banks close. Insurance Offices close.

this date subject to reut.

30 days' sight, ... ... ... 1/117 4 months sight, ... 1/11 8 On demand, ... ... 48 Credits, 60 days' sight, .... ... 49;

On demand, ... ... ... 727 30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 73 LAND, CUOKTOWN, TOWNS- Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ... \$50.50 VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY & Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 9.94

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Dinner Wines of very superior Vin-

toges. All are true Xeres Wines. ARET.—Our Clarets, including the lowest Priced, are guaranteed to be the genuine product of the juice of the Wm. Geo. Bentley, A.R.O.H., Bandmaster. CLARET, -Our Clarets, including the grape and are not artificially made from raising and currents, as is generally the case with Cheap Wines.

BRANDY,-All our Brandy is guaranteed to be pure Counac, the difference in the address). Rounded periods and gush price being merely a question of uge are 'conspicuous by their absence, if we and vintage.

WHISKEY .- All our Whiskey is of cellent quality and of greater age than most brands in the market. The SCOTUR WHISKEY marked 'E' is universally popular, and is pronounced by the best local connoisseum to superior to any other brand in Hongkong market,

We only guerantee our Wines and Spinits to be genuine when bought direct Timers At the Documents and from us in the Colony or from dur and Reine Cristine, H. M. St. Mariet thorised Agents at the Coast Ports.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LINEED. THE HONGKONG DEPENDARY. 

The publication of this issued commenced | PROPERTY Koch arrived at Bombey on the at 5.40 p.m.

HONOKONO, WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 1897.

LOCAL AND GENERAL STRAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH BEUTER.) OUTWARD BOUND :- Fujisan, April 9; Oopack, Methven Castle, 13; Glenfarg, 20; Glenartney, Gloucester, 23; Marquis Bacquehem, Melbourne, Richmers, Kagoshima Maru, 27th; Formosa; Tanarina, Maria Valerie, Bellona, Kiushiu, 30; Pakling, May 8; Astral, Atagosan, Frey. 4; Glengarry, Guadalquiver, 7; Ernest Simons, Orestes, Proussen, Imperatrix, Maria, Patrocius Stronald, 12; Benlawers, Canton, Oceanien, Della (?), 14; Achilles,

Glenorchy, Fortuna, 18. HOMEWARD HOUND : - Benlomond, March 26; Glenogie, 30; Energia, Prometheus, April 6; Canton, Kriembild, Balmoral, 9; Ningchow, 13; Java, Strathleven, 20; Nestor, Sachsen, 23; Irene, 27; Aglaia, Centon, Macduff. 7; Ixion, 12; Dardanus, 18.

The P. M. Co.'s s. s. City of Peking, with port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland will speedily return. Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shaughal, on the 1st May. .

Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 11th May. The C. P. R. Co.'s s. H. Empress of China sailed from Vancouver for Hongkong via Yokohama on Wednesday, the

12th May, at 1 p.m. Steamers Expected.

The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Hector, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the afternoon of 15th May, and may be expected here on or about the 21st May. The s. s. Glenesk, from London and Straits, left Singapore for this port on Saturday afternoon, the 15th May. The s. s. Radnershire, from New York, left Singapore for Hongkong on the 16th May, and may be expected here on or

about the 22nd May The N. P. S. Co.'s s. s. Victoria arrived at Yokohama from Tacoma on 17th May. She sailed on the 19th May, for Hongkong via Kobe. The R. L. s. a. Deike Rickmers, Antwerp and Hamburg, passed the considered due at Singapore on

or about the 20th May. The C. M. Co 's s. s. Pakking, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 3rd May, and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the The N. G. I. str. Bisagno left Bombay on the 9th May, and may be expected

here on or about the 27th May. The N. P. Co. a a. s. Victoria sailed from Tacoma on let May for Hongkong, vis Japan. The N. Y. K. s. s. Tokio Maris, from Melbourne and ports, left Thursday Island for this port on the 10th May, and is expected to arrive here on the

21st May.

Latest Advices. The M. M. Co.'s s. s. Caledonien, with the next FRENCH MAIL, left Saigon on the morning of 19th May at 4 o'clock for on Saturday, the 22nd. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Pyrrhus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the after-

the 24th May. The C. P. R. Co.'s chartered steamer at noon, on Monday, the 17th May. The P. & O. Co.'s B. S. Peshosoar left Singapore for this port on the 17th May.

The P. & O. Co. s. s. B. Hydaspes left Bombay for this port on the 15th May. THE German Emperor again congratulated Oxford, through Professor Max Muller, on winning the University boat-race

THE French transport Conton, which went ashore near Tourane several months ago, has been refloated by the English salvage corps, and it is now expected the vessel will be taken to Singapore, not to Hong districts. 5. Surveyor's report for the first kong as originally intended, for extensive

Mr. Brennan, H.B.M. Consul at Canton arrived at Shimonoseki on the 4th inst from Shanghai and immediately left for Reelung by the Yokohama-maru. Brennan is still pursuing his inquiry in British trade for the Colonial authorities.

SHERRY .- Excellent Dinner and After THE Band of the West Yorkshire Regiment will play the following programme at the Officers' Mess to-night :--Haddeufd.

> WHEN the loyal address of the Hongkong community was published, our morning contemporary ventured upon a criticism of its literary merits (we mean the merits of may be permitted to make use neyed expression, but the Hongkong address is a model of terseness and straightforwardness and that commends it to the mixed community of Hongkong. cutta, it would seem, has ventured upon the

Alaram (News)# ##

THE U. S. commer Pedred has returned to the China Station. She is now command. ed by Capt. Woods.

We hear the material for he new wharf of the Douglas Steemskip Company has arrived from Home to-day by the Mogul steemer

Mr. Luigi Museo was fined \$10, at the Magistracy to-day, for having yesterday fired his rifle into the harbour from the verandah of the Italian Consulate.

THE death is reported from Mandalay of Lieut. Colonel Drury Shaw, Commanding the Royal Scots Regiment. He had been in bad health for some time, and went up to Maymyo for a change.

MR Jack, superintendent engineer to the Messageries Fluviales at Haiphong, leaves for Europe to morrow on holiday. L'Avewir du Tonkin wishes Mr Jack, who is very popular with the French community. mails &c., left San Francisco for this box coyage, and expresses the hope that he

The O. & O. s. s. Doric, with mails &c., La Courrier d'Haiphong states that Admiral left San Francisco for this port vis de la Bedollière returns to Tonkin with the Bayard and Descartes in the month of September, and that the French Admiral is anxious to visit Kebso and Hongay to see the coal mines and examine into the combustible qualities of the coal. The trials made with the briquettes in the French warships have given excellent results. Admiral de la Bedollière s visit is expected to have an important bearing on the future of the Tonkin coal mines.

THE departure of the C.P.R. Empress of Japan (Capt. Pybus) about noon to-day furnished the occasion of a hearty demonstration on board Hild S. Narcisms, Commander Gore-Brown, having been in valided home, was a passenger on board the Empress; and, as the steamer passed the Nurcissus, yards (or masts and Canal on the 27th April, and may be rigging) were manned, the Band played appropriate farewell airs, and the good old British cheer was given and repeated over and over sgain, as the outgoing steamer went castward. It must have been very gratifying to the departing Commander, sait showed that he was a very popular

THE death is announced from London of Sir William Cloaver Robinson, G.C.M.G., who, until recently, was Governor of Westem Australia. The deceased commenced his official career as private secretary to Sir Hercules Robinson in the Governments of St. Kitts and Hongkong, and was here thirty seven years ago in that capacity. He afterwards held the position of Goverthis port, and may be expected here nor in several British Colonies, including the Straits Settlements in 1877, and it was during his tenure of office there that he noon of the 18th May, and may be visted Bangkok and invested the King of expected here on or about Monday, Siam with the G.O.M.G. and had conferred upon himself the Grand Cross of the Order Hupeh left Yokohama for Vancouver of the Crown of Siam. He was well known as a musical composer, and had written more than one comic opera.

> THE Sanitary Board meets to-metrow at 4,15 p.m. Business -1. A return showing the progress of Bubonic Plague in Bombay. Reports regarding the existence of Bullonic Plague at Macao. S. A return showing the progress of Bubonic Plague at Tainen, Formoss. 4. Reports having reference to the alleged mevalence of Buhonic Plagus in the Tung Kun and Shun-tak quarter, 1897. 6. Report on the Slaughter-houses and Markets, etc. for the first quarter 1897. 7. Mortality Returns for the weeks ended the 8th and 15th May, 1897, respectively. 3. Three applications for the registration of premises for the trade of Far Boiling. 9. Two applications for the registration of premises as Public Laundries, 10. Thirty applications for licenoss and renewal of licences to keep cattle and

Hupson's Surprise Party presented another complete change of programme last night at the Theatre. Encores were frequent throughout the evening. Hodson appear adin a new vote as a hanjoist, and kept the audience ripping with laughter with his humorosities. The Rival Telephones by Hudson and Reams also created great amusement. Miss May Habgood. gave a splendid randering of the bracketed pieces The Brook (Pape) and La Pasquinade (Gottachalk). The Gourlays did not do themselves justice in their impersonations. Their productions were certainly of a very mediogre description, and not well calculated to uphold their high standard for excellence. William Gourlay's impersonations of Sir Henry Lyding were high-falutin fack, for we learn from Burmese not relished by the audience. The exchanges that on its publication the address was orificised in the following terms Misses Stanbudge and Elliote and Messes by the Indian Daily News :- As a stery Ring and Steel, was a stagest treat of a men of pure unadulterated depotentia the little rather. The entertainment forminated address is quite unique and what smiles are at the same a second district Bliss.

THE Registrar General in his report for 1896 gives the population of the Colony as 239,419, of whom 12,709 form the British and Foreign community and 226,710 the Chinese. This estimate is based on the preliminary returns of the census taken on the night of the 20th January last. An estimate based on the increase of the population since the year 1857 evidently not to be depended upon. based on the number animals slaughtered for food during the year, due regard being paid to the price, might lead to a closer approximation to the truth. According to this method, the population at the end of last year was estimated at 236,000. There were 71 marriages during the year as compared with 90 in 1895. Of these, one was solemnised twice (it would be interesting to know why. but the R.G. does not enter upon details), so that the actual number was only 70. There were 207 Chinese marriages as compared with 194 in 1895. The births among the British and foreign community numbered 255 as compared with 232 in 1895. Uf registered Chinese births there were 1,195. but the R. G. adds 'there were probably at least 537 unregistered births,' so he ought to know. There were four prosecutions for neglect to report births within the specified time. There was a large increase in the European death-rate, the number being 253 compared with 191 in 1895. 52 deaths occurred at the Government Civil Hospital and 14 at the Konnedy Town Infectious Diseases Hospital. There were 21 deaths due to plague, 9 to dysentery, 7 to typhoid fover, and 4 to simple continued fever, 6 to heat apoplexy, 7 to malarial fever and 8 to remittent fever: 24 to phthisis, among the British and foreign community. Among the Chinese there were 5,807 deaths compared with 5,200 in 1895. Of these, 1,078 died from plague. The deathrate per 1000 of the British and foreign population was 19.91 compared with 17.64 covers Manchuria and pressure remains in in 1895, and 23.28 in 1894. The Chinese death-rate was 24.95 per 1000 compared with 21.02 in 1895 and 30.42 in 1894 (the plague year). The Tong Wa Hospital treated 2,214 in-patients as compared with 2,840 in 1895 and 2,969 in 1893. Of these 1,290 were discharged (cured?) and 792 died. The per-centage of deaths to admis- from Mr R. M. Gray, of the Sub-Commitsions was 38:80. In the preceding year it | tee, Jubilee Gymkhana :-was 42.61. There were 129,695 outpatients, or 30,000 less than in 1895. This diminution is no doubt due to the precaugistrar General (Mr J. H. Stawart Lockhart) concludes his report as follows :-

The Tung Wa Hospital has been the subject of an enquiry by a Commission appointed by the Governor. All the members of the Commission were unanimously agreed that the Hospital has done good work in the past and that the Committee of Management elected yearly is deserving of great praise for the time and attention devoted to the charitable work of the Hospital. The Commissioners, however addition to other recommendstions of a minor nature, recommended that a Chinese doctor trained in Western Hospital as Resident Surgeon, and that the daily inspection of an officer of the Government Medical Department should be maintained: In accordance with the recom mendations of the Commission, Dr. Chung. formerly House Surgeon at the Alice Memorial Hospital, has been appointed Resident Surgeon, and Dr Thomson, Visiting Surgeon.

NITRATE of potash accumulates in the organically rich, alluvial plains of, India and Chins, the nitrate rising to the surface with the moisture by capillary attraction in the hot dry season There have been discoveries made lately in South Africa of nitrate deposits of a high degree of purity, and said to be in enormous quantities, derived from the direct putrefacfaction of animal excreta.

GERMAN papers point out that in Germany there is a slight falling-off in the increase of population. A Dutch contemporary does not think the decrease can be very serious in view of the latest Berlin statistics. 50 years old.

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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.']

LONDON, 17th May, 1897. THE UNITED STATES.

A Democrat has been elected Senator for Florida, which places the Republicans in a minority of one and will have an important effect in the tariff prespects.

THE TURCO-GREEK WAR. The Greeks in the late, engagements in Epirus fought splendidly and almost ceaselessly for forty hours. After storming several positions, they were forced to retire from exhaustion and want of food.

GERMANY AND THE EUROPEAN CONCERT.

purating throughout a separate policy at Constantinople, and is now advising the Sultan to insist upon a European control of Greek finances.

> (Le Courrier d'Haiphong.) THE PARIS TRAGEDY.

PARIS, May 10. The Figure has opened a subscription for the benefit of the charities for which the Charity Bazaar was being hold. Already a sum of one million and a-half francs has been subscribed, including Fes. 938,000 sent by an anonymous subscriber.

Panis, May 11. The Emperor of Germany has subscribed

Panie, May 12. The body of the Duc d'Aumale has left

Palermo where it was given military honours. It will be accompanied by his family | with the bribery. to Dreux where it is to be interred. The body will pass through Modane and Paris. PARIS, May 13.

M. de Mohrenheim has transmitted to President Faure a letter in which the Czar very affectionately expresses his serrow at the Charity Bazaar disaster.

WEATHER NOTICE.

The following notice is issued from the

On the 19th at 11.25 a. Barometric changes are slight. The depression still defect over S. E. China. Forecast :moderate S. W. winds; mostly fair, but

THE PECORD REIGN CELEBRA. TIONS.

A JUDILEE GYMEHANA.

We have received the following letter Hongkong, 18th May, 1897.

Dear Sir,-The Sub-Committee for the Jubilea Gymkhana will be obliged if you will be good enough to notify in your next tions necessitated by the plague. The Re- issue that at the Juhilee Gyzakhane, to be held on the 23rd June, Cups will be given for the following pony Races :-

3 Furling Race. For Polo Ponies. Once Round .- Handicap. For all China

in the Colony, 2 months. Weight ing. for inches, with 3 lbs. added. Subscription Griffins, non-winners allowed

Champions .- From the Two Mile post. once round and in. Weight for inches. For all ponies. There will also be prizes given for Bicycle Races, and probably a Menageria Race,

Obstacle Race for Soldiers and Sailors, and

other events.

medicine should reside permanently in the To understand what a heavy price Spain is Celestial Empire. paying for her determination to put down he rebellions in her Colonies, the traveller who knows how to use his eyes has only to of the powerful pawnbrokers' guild are at journey through Catalonia. This great nanujacturing province is already more and insidious effort to take the control of than half-way on the road to ruin. Her the Foreign Settlements out of the hands manufactories, as we learn by the Consular of the Municipality, and carry things on in Report from Barcelons, are working with their own sweet way. They have enlisted half their complement of hands, or some- the aid of the Governor of Soochow on their times with only a third, and of these many behalf, and as almost all the local mandarare making little more than half time, ins from the Taotai downwards are deeply The misery would be more apparent than interested in the pawnbroking trade the it is but that most of the able-bodied public can well imagine the pressure, workers have been drafted off to join the which they can bring to bear to effect flag. In some of the country villages there | their unholy wishes. They seek to abroare none but old men to keep the women gate the right of the Municipal police and children company; and, with their aid, to supervise the pawnshops in the to carry on the work of the place. Cata- Settlement where stolen goods are syslonia depends mainly on the Colonial tematically disposed of. In every civilizmarket, and, for the moment, the Colonial ed community in the world the police market is gone. This is bad enough with- authorities exercise the unrestricted right out the imminent danger of a Carlist ris- of search over this class of establishment, One novelist, for exam le, makes his hero interesting and beautiful feature indeed. ing, to which the Consul, of course, makes and in no place is such a power a soprano : another pictures a Scottish The other building, the branch establishno allusion, though it is known to be 'on more necessary than in China. the cards. This looks very much like go- have never heard that it has been abused a Jacobite song and accompanying himself Bar, will be very effectively illuminated, ing down with the flag flying—though it is by the Foreign Police, but on the bagpipe. Mr Marion Crawford has but will present no very remarkable feature. going down all the same. Daily News contrary it constantly provides the only

THE Weihien (Shantung) correspondent One mother 45 years of age had 23 chil- the N.O. Dady News wrote on the 27th dran. Two, aged 41 and 42 respectively, April :- The Russian ships are said to still be at Ch'ingtao, the junk port at the en-Two had 19 each, six had 18 each. Seven- trance to Kaiochou Bay. A large instalment teen rejoiced in a troop of 17. Thirty- of sycee has been placed for exchange upon three had presented their husband with 16 | the local market here, and the natives say children. No less than 204 Berlin families | it is for constructing a wharf at that port. had a round dozen, and there are 447 pairs | The writer has long been of the opinion of twins, but only 6 triplets. The mothers that Ch'ingtao has many advantages over of 12 young Berliners born last year were Chefoo as a port of entry, especially in its reason of the hopelessly bad condition of importmence, which really seeks to required to make up its signature would The cotton factors estimate that the inun-Ir costs Queen Victoria hearly \$25,000 | the so-called Great Road between here for railway fares on her European trip. and Chefoo, the freight rates have risen to That shows the disadvantage of not have ruinous figures twenty cash, or at present catty transported by cart a distance of 200 such dangerous interference with the he ventured on details of musical technic. Indications, the average output will be ing a relative in the Legislature with an exchange two and a half cents, on every miles: Should Ch'ingtao become merely powers of the Police is permitted.—China In 'Peg Woffington,' for example, materially reduced, and in many localities BACON Cousins says he can count all of a Russian naval station. China's commerce his relatives on his two lands. Egbert- with other nations will be the loser, by Well, I don't see why he shouldn't; that's having her exports as well as imports thus where he seems to have them most of the impeded. Shantung has straw-braid, mats, beancake, ponges silk, earthenware, glassware, marble, coal, iron, lead, copper, mice, and building stone, all of which commedities she would gladly exchange ther—No; why to you said Johanny for taxtile fabrice, kerosene, and a hundred Oh, nothin, copy I heard par bell another sther things, if only she had a convenient cther things, it only she had a convenient part of entry. All blose commodities can he handled at Ch'ingtan for less than half the freight rates to Chefoo. The desultory Erony six Degrees to Minutes North - I strompts made to hendle some of Shang-Has Dr Namen any social esending to bunda commerce by a light-draught steamer Dear me, yes. He moves in the highest between Chelco and Yangkiakou proves two at him half the time. What yexes them through the time that there is an undeveloped so ! He calls them his board of lady man-

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Honour Sir John Carrington, Chief Justics.) Wednesday, May 10.

RE-ARRANGEMENT OF BUSINESS. Hon, W. M. Goodman, Attorney General said with reference to the counterfeit coin case, that in the ordinary course of things he would have had that taken after the bribery case which was to be taken to-day. Out of consideration for his learned friend Mi Robinson he suggested that it be taken on Friday, when he hoped his learned friend would be able to attend. If he could not attend, he would have to hand over his brief to some one clse. With regard to the arson case, possibly it would be more convenient in the interests of the public, seeing that Tuesday was mail day, if that case was taken on Wednesday. His Lordship agreed to the counterfeit It is understood that Germany has been coin case being fixed for Friday, and the arson case for Wednesday next.

ALLEGED BRIBERY. Chun Wing was charged with having on the 20th April offered \$30 by way of a bribe to Wong Ping Nam, a Chinese Police Constable, that he might not arrest him for having on his possession six bags of sugar which the Constable had reason to believe had been unlawfully obtained.

Prisoner pleaded not guilty. The Attorney General prosecuted : Mr represented the prisoner. The following jurors were sworn :-

Messrs J. M. Guttierez, E. Mirow, G. T. Rivers, T. B. Powell, A. M. Barradas, J. A. Guttierez, and A. H. Alemao. The Attorney-General stated that the constable had received information from an informer that the prisoner had the sugar on board his sampan lying beside the Praya Wall. The constable went on board the boat, along with the informer, and when he questioned the prisoner in regard to the sugar he offered him a sum of \$30 and told him to go and drink tea with it. He arrested the prisoner, and he was charged

A verdict of not guilty was returned, and the prisoner was discharged.

LIEUTENANT A. Patten, the senior subaltorn of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, stationed at Nowshera, has been pronounced insane. He is to go home at once, in anticipation of sanction - The date of his first commission is the 28th April, 1886, so that he has completed nearly eleven years

Ir is foured (says the Nagasaki Express) that the new N. Y. K. steamship Kanaguwa-maru touched ground when leaving harbor on the 10th inst., and has thereby injured her bottom. She took the ground while going out by the Megami or Eastern Channel. The majority of vessels go by the Ogami or Western side of the harbor where the water is deeper.

off the blades of the port propeller. The hull is luckily uninjured. -Nagasaki Express.

THE annual meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association was held on April 14 at Ottawa. Sir R. Cartwright, Acting Minister of Militia, said the war clouds gathering over Europe might burst at any time," 5 Fewlongs. - Race for Subscription Grif- | that the Volunteers of Canada might have fins 1896-97 and China Ponies that | an opportunity of proving that their attachhave never won a race and have been | ment to the empire was not an empty say-

> A Brussels correspondent says it is announced that a Belgian commercial mission is about to start for China with a view of entering upon negotiations with the Chinese Government to supply material for the construction of the new railway. The mission, which includes M. Defourny, engineerin-chief of roads and bridges, and Waline, chief engineer of the communal water department, has other important industrial aims in connection with the

THE Chinese authorities at the instigation present engaged in making another strong means of recovering property stolen from foreigners and natives and of furnishing

the sole clue to many a robbery. Yet Governor of Soochow has sent a proclamation to the Taotai, who in turn Black has again distinguished himself by ed by golden palms. All this will conpassed it on to the Mixed Court Magistrate, who again sent it to the Municipal unheard-of and impossible sonata of be no exceptional feature such as that at Council, blandly stating that the Chinese Mozart's in A-sharp major. One of the Threadneedle-street. authorities should alone exercise authority | early Popes stigmatized the innocent scale of over these establishments and denying the right of the Municipal Police to enter or the music of the church. One can undersearch any pawnbrokers shops in the settles stand Mr Black's key of A-sharp major being Mandolines, and Strings of all kinds. ment. We are glad to learn that the placed on the index expurgatorius of the Robinson & Co. Council promptly gave this latest piece of musician, for the ten sharps which would be establish a most dangerous and retrograde frighten a Diabolus among piano-players. dated territory along the Mississippi proprinciple, its proper answer, and it is to be Even Charles Reade, who really did know duess an annual average of 1,500,000 bales hoped that all the members of the newly something about music, at any rate about of the highest grade cotton, worth fully elected Watch Committee will see that no old violins, was on dangerous ground when 50,000,000 dols. According to the present

weren't for my money? He-A bachelor. Sprices—Is your pugilistic friend a hard

hitter I Cynicus-I've never known him to strike anybody for more than fifty at a Para, won't you buy me a watch ? What for, my boy ? I want to trade it to Billy

Wiggins for one of his pups. Jon keeps his wife and mother-in-law mad

Mode Pies, and a harbon shop in the same Jenkins (severaly). John Helly Jenkins, theseparans to the lays her sortices, one bear this precription on its window. You have been thinking several and some this precription on its window. You have been thinking several and some this precription on its window.

HER MAJESTY'S RECORD REIGN. For the Celebration of the Sixtieth Auniversary of the Reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, the Hon. Treasurer begs to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following con-

tributions, viz.:--Already acknowledged ... ... 3.35,495 Green Island Cement Co. ... John Walter ... ... ... ... Hon. W. Meigh Goodman ... ... Herbert Prico ... ... ... ...

### NIGHT MARCHES.

In any future war, the army that is sufficiently well-trained to execute a night settled, and indeed are at the present mo- Those missing include the Duchess d'Alenmarch and concentrate under cover of dark- ment not unalterably decided on. Plans con, the Countess Mun, the Marquise de ness near the enemy's camp or position, have been made under the supervision of Gallifet and General Meunier. The piteous will hold a trump card that is worth thou- the architect of the Bank, Sir Arthur scenes of horror and panic which were sands of men. With our small army, there- Blomfield, who has a permanent office on witnessed were truly heartrending and fore, it is more than ever necessary that the Bank premises. It gives, by the way, baffle description. training in this part of a soldier's a striking idea of the great extent of those career should be thorough. There is premises to learn that their maintenance night was caused by a fusing of the wires no portion of the whole science and alone costs something like £10,000 a year, of the electric light in the kinematograph. to-day reduced the rate of interest to 9 per art of war that requires more prac- and that a staff of somewhere about a hun- The bazaar was being held in a long wooden cent. tice, especially among the officers and dred workmen are always engaged here. shed having exits only at one end. The N.C.O.s, than night marching with the They have, of course, nothing to do with structure was utterly consumed in twelve aid of the compass or stars, and the darker | the Jubilee decorations, which is a matter | minutes and was crammed with people at the night selected for the exercise the more for expert contractors, who, for this special the moment of the outbreak of the fire. valuable is the experience gained. Night occasion, have called in to their aid the marches are, it is true, seldom undertaken, great artistic powers of Professor Legros. M. W. Skade, instructed by Mr Gedge, for they are most fatiguing and accompanied The Bank of England's scheme will not clude some of the greatest names in France, ever, will not be sanctioned until sent by great risks; but at times they are absol- be remarkable for elaboration or intricacy London, May 5.—The scene of the Paris home and approved by the Secretary of utely necessary for the object to be gained, of design, but it is pretty safe to say that fire was in the Rue Jean Goujon in the State. and as the undertaking is one of the most | for dignity and real beauty of effect it will | Champs Elysees quarter. difficult, both officers and men should be be very hard to beat. traversed bad-going, the difficulties of a will be of the special tint displayed on the felegram to the Indian Daily News states quired .- Broad Arrow.

THE GOVERNMENT OF FORMOSA. It is an undeniable fact, says the Jiji that Japan has followed no fixed line of policy in governing Formosa. Sometimes t is too rigid and sometimes too liberal, and this may be partly explained by the fact that this is the first time she has added any foreign territory to her domin-The natives are an obstinate race and often cause troubles, while gangs of robbers emerge now and then in various quarters, but as the policemen do not understand their language it is difficult to take any steps to prevent the commit-THE Russian Volunteer Fleet steamship ting of crimes. There are interpreters, Ekaterinoslar, which went into dock on the but they are mostly incompetent. Most 12th inst., will take about a month to com- of the Japanese merchants who have gone In her as mother, wife, and Queen." plete repairs. Her shaft is badly bent, the over are in possession of very limited stern bush is smashed and must be renew- | capital, and are as a rule men of doubtful ed, one blade of the starboard propeller is character, mere adventurers trying to grab later is- She wrought her people lasting off, the other three are all more or less what they can. In fact, they are a sort good.' These words will be in cut crystal. damaged, and the bronze binding is ripped of soshi. The officials who were sent illuminated from within on a background thither are also trying their luck in the of incised gold, that is to say, cut in same way, and have not the slightest idea such a manner as to sparkle, with reflected of settling permanently, and consequently light. Above this tablet will be a sumptake life as easy as they can. Being placed | tuous Imperial crown, entirely, of course, in most cases at long distances apart, they worked out in light to represent the gold and are not much under control, and are ac- gens of the real crown. Two rich medallions cordingly easily corrupted; of this there in ruby and gold and crystal will display the was an instance lately in which a number two historic dates-1837 and 1897. Some and it was within the bounds of possibility of officials were arrested on suspicion of the blank windows of the facade, near that the Volunteers of Canada might have have the worst time of it, fighting with the out in coloured lamps. The whole of this rebels amid heat, disease and hardships, work will be carried out by means of gas, and a great number of them die. Yet no the contention of the contractors being body knows the hardships they are really that the flickering unsteady flame of the eral is undoubtedly an able man; is con- are wanting to the perfectly steady but scientiously doing his best towards the, more brilliant glow lamp of electricity. improvement of affairs in the island,

is apparently quite willing to stay there. He is, however, only a design, but that one point will constitute soldier, and it would be impossible to the great feature of the display. This admit that he has all the qualifications of will crown the centre of the building, an administrative officer. Now that the and will be a clossal affegorical group eyes of the world are centred on the island of figures executed in a meterial to see what Japan will make of it, every will represent white marble and bronze care should be taken to make it a success. gilt. It is, of course, this In conclusion our contemporary wishes that | that Professor Logros has been called when a change of the Governor General is in to produce. A majestic female form, next made a first-class statesman will be presumably Britannia, rides in a chariot appointed. Japan Advertiser.

BAD MUSICAL BREAKS BY NOVELISTS.

for novelists, music seems to be almost equally dangerous. So thinks a writer in out larger than life size on the sky-line Macmillan's Magazine (February), and he with what should be a very striking and proceeds as follows to tell why he thinks beautiful effect by means of a powerful

novelists commit the most amazing blunders of the Bank itself, or it may be from with the most serene conscience, blunders some other point adjacent, and this probably of which any schoolgirl would be ashamed, will be an electric light. This it should be and from which no more trouble than is understood is not to be a transparency, but necessary to turn over the leaves of a die- a work of sculpture, and, judging by the tionary of music might have saved them. drawing submitted, should prove a very Highlander sitting on the roadside singing | ment of the Bank of England at Temple ascribed "La Favorita" to Verdi, a feat There will be a brilliant medallion in cut paralleled by Mr Biack in setting a lady crystal, emblazoning the V.R.L., and down to a piano to play Beethoven's there will be wreathe at various points, some "Farewell," a composition auknown to of them illuminated. There will also be at that musician's many admirers. Mr the corners gold and crystal shields supportdescribing one of his heroines as playing an stitute a very pretty display, but there will C-major as lascivious, and banished it from

SHE-And what would you be now if it ring, and then tells how Mr Cibber was confounded by this sparkling adagio." No wonder Mr Cibber was confounded a quick movement which is at the same time an adagio is enough to confound anybody. Nor are Englishman the only offenders. Victor Hugo, in Low Missorables, has three violing and a flute playing some of Haydn's quartets at a wedding. The combination is curious enough in all conscience, and certainly Haydu never wrote for any such quartet of instruments. Aristotla hold that the moral effect of a flute is bad and exciting : what it might be when dom-

RECORD REIGN DECORATIONS. Many people in Hongkong are taxing their powers of invention to evolve decora-

tive designs appropriate to the record reign celebrations. To those whose ingenuity is scarcely on a par with their loyalty we recommend a consideration of the following extract from the London Daily News ;--The Bank of England is the first portant institution to make known the de- Lagos. tails of its scheme of decoration, for the Queen's Jubilco, and both in Threadneedlestreet and at its branch establishment near the Law Courts in Fleet-street it promises | bazaar which was attended by the cream of North Western Provinces, vice Dr Hend-

something worthy of its dignity and im- Poris society. The flames spread with in- ley, who has broken down and taken seven portance. Messrs Defries and Co. have credible swiftness. One hundred charred had the contract signed for a month or so | bodies so far have been recovered and it is past, but some of the details of the leading | feared that at least one hundred more features have not been quite definitely remain in the debris, besides many injured.

thoroughly trained in its requirements | Except for one strong light electricity during peace manceuvres. Winter, au- will not be employed. The whole design Lieut. Eloff has been reinstated and tumn, and spring nights are really the best' will be worked out as on former occasions appointed Chief of the Police there. The for training, for although the weather may in shimmering crystal and small gas lamps appointment is universally condemned, be inclement and the roads or country in ruby, white, and gold. The ruby lamps march in the dark are far more realised occasion of the Duke of York's wedding, that in consequence of the persistent German Gore and Surgeon-Major Davies shortly than during the summer. Practice and only | whon the contractors had them manufacturpractice in the various ways of using a com- ed at the suggestion of Mr Parnell, who Transvaal question, The Times in a leading pass at night is what is required, and every was then Deputy Governor, and who is article vehemently denounces German officer should be trained until he is quite | himself recognised as an accomplished water- | diplomacy. confident that he is capable of leading a colour artist. Between the capitols of the point on a dark night. When several bear- columns on the façade of the Bank buildings have to be traversed, owing to the ing will be garlands of crystal lamps, with position not being approachable in a direct | hows or fleur-de-lys looping them to other | finally decided after much discussion and | is being proceeded with. line, delay may be caused in having to columns. The cornices above will be some opposition to apply the money receivroset the indicator of the compass if one is picked out in lines of crystal and gold ed to the erection of a statue of the Queen used, and to do this properly a light is re- lamps. At each corner of the long build- in Calcutta, and that the surplus, if any be ing will be a magnificent shell worked out placed towards an endowment fund for the in crystal and colours. These will each be Calcutta hospitals. The statue will cost sixteen feet wide. Along the front will be about three lakks and as this is regarded central feature will be a tablet along the the subscribers to credit their subscriptions

> son's lines. ' Ode to the Queen ': May you rule us long, And leave us rulers of your blood As noble till the latest day ! May children of our children say, 'She wrought her people lasting good;

Her court was pure ; her life serene ; God gave her peace; her land reposed A thousand claims that reverence closed

The line selected by the Governor blaze out in crystal and gold forty-six years undergoing. The present Governor Gen- gas jet gives a life and variety of effect that As it has been said, if electricity is used

at all it will be only at one point in the drawn by two horses, and preceded by groups of children. At the extreme right and left of the fine, spirited central design are two figures, one representing Industry and the other Commerce, and bearing Law is recognized as a universal snare scrolls displaying the two dates '37 and '97. This bold allegories group will be brough concealed light thrown upon it either by 'In their allusions to the musical art our some little contrivance on the front

PATENT MUSIC boxes, Violins (fine models)

crop at all while in others there will only be a sickly yield. The Mississippi Conservators place the damage to cotton at

THE Lancet is responsible for the follow-

ing :- In a recent discussion on improvements in the X-ray apparatus one of the speakers mentioned that he possessed a fluorescent acreen measuring 6 feet by 14 feet. It is intended to show the full-length figure all at one view, and on an occasion when the apparatus was being inspected by a number of persons it was the means of creating an embarrassment almost beyond bined with three violins we can only the power of words to describe. A lady inving inpautiously passed in the line of Pentabetenta has a sign reading. He you looking an sour about my dear I Miss screen, and as draw materials are very

LATE TELEGRAMS. (Rangoon Gazette.)

ANOTHER WEST AFRICAN DISASTER. London, May 3. - Lieutenant Honderson. with a fairly large escort, who had been making treaties with the chiefs of the hinterland of the Gold Coast was attacked at the beginning of April by Samory at Wa. which is within the British sphere. Details | the full information may be obtained well are wanting but a disaster is feared. The in advance. Governor has summoned 300 Houses from

THE PARIS TRACEDY. Paris, May 4 .- A most appalling fire took place here this evening at a charity

May 5. The disastrous fire here last The remains of the unfortunate victims filled fourteen waggons. The victims in upon it. The rules that are drafted, how-

SOUTH AFRICAN AFFAIRS. May 2. - Advices from Pretoria state that

attack on England in connection with the

CALCUTTA AND THE RECORD REIGN. May 6 .- At a meeting of the Jubilee Commemoration Committee last night it was great crystal stars with flaming points. At by some as sheer waste of a large sum of the middle of the building, over the door- money which might have been usefully apways, the design is more elaborate, and the plied for the benefit of the people of the effect should be very rich indeed. The country, the proposal was made to allow pediment displaying a quotation selected to the statue or the Hespital fund as they by the Governor of the Bank from Tonny- desired but this was rejected. Only Rs. 11,000 have been subscribed up to date.

my researches are not completed, I can only form provisional conclusions on the tend to show that the bubonic microbe, whether derived from cultures of organisms gunny cloth, uniformly dies out within six enidemiological evidence tends to show that clothing may, in rare cases convey infection, I am unwilling to draw any definite It is possible that under other conditions there is some a priori probability that cleaned wool would be less likely to retain

less saturated with human secretions. The following letter appears in the Gazette: Dr Blaney informed the public last week that the new scrum received from Paris was of nearly the right strength and promised to be a sure specific against the plague. Dr Blaney did not give any certain grounds for the announcement and evidently did not know Dr Yersin's own opinion on the matter. It would be as well, therefore, to place Dr Yersin's statement before the public for the information of those con- Rangoon Gazette. cerned, including Dr Blaney.

In reference to the Paris serum, Dr Yersin says he is sorry it is not very strong. The jewels of the popular actress. Miss larga doses being required to be given. therefore, uses it more as a preventive than as a curative. It may be also added that as a preventive its protection lasts ten

To-day's plague returns show 29 new cases and 18 deaths with 97 deaths from

THE SITUATION IN THE BALKAN PENINSULA. Lordon, May 2.-Pursuant to an agreement arrived at botwoon the Tsar and the Emperor Francis Joseph during the visit of the latter to St. Petersburg, Austria and Russia have sent identical Notes to Servia. Bulgaria and Montenegro approving of their attitude in the present crisis. The Note, however, is really intended as a warning to them to remain quiet. SOMALI CAMELS IN THE PUNJAB.

Allahabad, April 29.—Some two hundred camels purchased by Captain J. Swayne and Lieut. Beynon in Somaliland have reached India. The losses on the journey were trifling. It will be interesting to see how they stand the climate of the Punjab. where they are to be located. SENTENCED TO DEATH. April 30 .- The sentence of death passed

upon Private Mooney, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, convicted by a court-martial of the murder of Private Flood of the same regiment, has been confirmed by the Viceroy and ordered to be carried out. THE EAST INDIA BOUADRON.

May 4.-Intimation has been received that H.M.S. Marathon, one of the four cruisers of the East India Squadron, will shortly be relieved by her sister ship the THE FAMINE

Calcutta, May 5 .- The Famine Fund is Rs. 1,22,58,789. Rs. 16,000 have been received from the New York Christian Herald and Rs. 600 from Palestine. AN INDIAN ARMY GRIEVANCE.

London, April 28.-In the House of Commons Mr Haywood Johnstone moved H.M.S. frigate Odin. To-day (says the Japan for a Sciect Committee to enquire into the grievances of officers of the General List of the Indian Army regarding their succession to Colonel's allowances. Sir H. S. King seconded the motion. In the debate which followed; Lord George Hamilton was entphatic against the appointment of the Committee whose object would be to reverse the decision of auccessive Ministers and Viceroys for the last sixteen years, and he refused to widle India with unwarrentable greatest eignificance is that Prince Arieadditions to her burdons. Sir H. Fowler. concurred, and the motion was rejected by throng, and Marquis Ito, one of Japan's 174 votes against 75.

on transport which have been in accesson at wish to coment a closer amity. We have Rawelpindi have completed their labours no doubt that the polished Prince Ariand their report will have now to be cons sugawa will meet with the reception besidered by the Government. Brery effort litting his high station, while we may take has been made to frome a practicable it for granted that the statemen who conscheme for ensuring animals and men being | dected Japan through the storing period of forthcoming in the Punjab in case of war. | the war with China, will be wernly well County the quantitue likely to empage comed by then whose experience renders LAND BE THE SHAPE WITH ME WE WAR IN THAIR BE

serve of officers for the Native Army. This can well be taken up in connection with the proposals for increasing the number of officers in the Staff Corps.

May 4. - It has been decided that commissions shall be issued to officers on their appointment to the Indian Army Reserve. and that stamp duty thereon shall be paid out of the Indian revenues in order that

Simla, April 28.—Surgeon General Cleghorn has arrived at Siinla and taken over the Sanitary Commissionership, Surgeon Colonel Warburton reverting to the Inspector Generalship of Civil Hospitals,

May 4.—A quantity of gun-cotton has now been successfully manufactured at Kirkee preparatory to commencing the more dangerous operation of making nitroglycerine which is also an important ingredient in cordite. The cordite hitherto issued from Kirkee is, of course, only the imported article filled into cartridges at the factory.

THE BANK RATE. Bombay, April 29.—The Bank of Bombay

THE U. D. QUESTION. Simla, April 28.-A small, Committee shortly meets to consider the C. D. question. Surgeon-Major Williamson from Allahabad representing the Army Medical Department

ENTERIC AT SUBATHU.

Simla, April 28 .- The story published by the Allahabad paper regarding the alleged outbreak of enteric at Subathu is very much exaggerated. A few cases occurred amongst the Black Watch on the march up, Calcutte, May 3 .- A special London but no cases have been admitted to hospital from the station itself. Surgeon-General visit Subathu in connection with the new

water supply scheme. Allahabad, May 5.—The epidemic of enteric at Subathu has ceased, no further cases having been admitted to the Hospital. The temporary water supply scheme is now in working order, while the larger project

THE COST OF THE PLAGUE.

It is now hoped the end of the plague in Bombay is within sight. The loss of life has been great, the blow to trade and commerce more than serious, the loss to individuals through the destruction of houses and their contents has been heavy; but with all this, opinion in Bombay sooms to support Sandhurst's view that a large part of the city must be rebuilt on new lines if it is to be insured against another visit from the dread malady. A plan has been already drawn up for Bombay. May 5 .- Mr Hankin reports to the rebuilding of part of the city. The Government on his experiments on the capital necessary is estimated at some-Plagua microbe in wool. He says :- As thing like two millions, and this it is proposed to raise at home on Municipal guarantee. There is yery, little doubt subject. So far as my researches go they that money could be raised in the London market on very easy terms with the security Bombay can offer. The promoter. and whether placed on cetton or wool or Mr Willis, thinks it would be better to entrust the work of thus extending and redays. Owing, however, to the fact that | building Bombay to a responsible Company, guaranteeing them two per cent, the profits over that amount being divided between the Company and the Municiconclusion from my researches at present. pulity, the latter providing a sinking fund which would unable them to pay the microbe might exhibit a greater off the Company in fifty years and thus resistance in wool than I have hitherto become the absolute owners of the houses. found it to possess. However this may be The point as to raising the loan in England may give rise to some discussion, but it seems clear, as one of the local papers urges, the infection than dirty clothes, more or that money in India will be too dear for local capitalists to embark in house-building, and the scheme 'accordingly looks to London where people look upon a guaranteed three; per cent, as an opportunity to be eagerly welcomed.' At all events, the people of Bombay, though they have been sorely injured by the plague, are far from being in despair, and seem determined to build a new city which shall be less at the mercy of an epidemic and be still more than its prodecessor was urbs prima in India.-

> Ellen Farren, were sold in London the other week and realised £2.225.

CENTRAL Africa has its British Gazette, published at Zomba, and a very creditable lita tle periodical it is. Zomba is the seat of the British Commissioner, who has a force of Sikhs, artillery, and gunboats on the Shire and on the lake. The Gazette is well written and well printed. and the advertisement page—there is but one-bespoaks commerce, industry, and an advanced civilization. It announces goats at 3s. each. sheep at 4s. and no lack of creature comforts. In its news columns we learn, as matter of report. that Uganda has now a Parliament House. in which the King, with the British Resident at his side, discusses State affairs every Monday with his chiefs, and that the procedure followed in this assembly is 'very similar to that of the English Parliament. The office of Speaker is, apparently, no sinecure, for the building seats two thousand persons. At this rate, the Gazette will soon want a reporting staff, though Uganda is not precisely next door. - Daily News (London).

THREE Japanese topics at the moment are

matters of some importance, since two of them necessitate diplomatic action and the third affects Japan's relations with a friendly power. That which we have placed last is by no means the least. We refer to the mission of Prince Arisugawa to England in commemoration of the Queen's so-called Diamond Jubilee. It is but thirty-five years ago, or barely more than the span of a young man's life, since the first Japanese mission visited England. Incredible as it now sounds the of the English Covernment the postponement of the opening of Hyogo and Osaka as Treaty Ports. The mission sailed in Gazette of the 5th inst.) Prince Arisugawa steps on board a French Mail steamer at Kobe and if he needed a warship Japan could dispatch a vessel that would be capable of destroying a whole fleet of Odins. But. it is not on the marvellous contrast between the condition of affairs in 1862 and in 1897 that we wish to dwell, however tempting the theme or however ample the material. What is of the sugawa, who is so nearly allied to the greatest statesmen, have been relected to represent Japan. That is a token of Ja-Allahabad, April 28 .- The Committee pan's friendliness to England, and of her

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> H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

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Superintendent. Hongkong, May 15, 1897.

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suffering from a scarcity of ores while America has a plethora. Formerly the supply of the north of Spain, upon which the English, Welsh and Scotch steelmakers drew, was believed to be inexhaustible, but now the ledges are pinching out. Unless a new and convenient group of iron mines can be had, our English rivals will have to draw more and more heavily upon the United States compete with us in the finished product. There is small prospect that the Bilbao deposits will be duplicated in Europe, and so, with the low price of steel products here to be matched, what can England do but yield her monopoly, unless, as the Duke says, Americans will be unenterprising enough to keep out of the foreign The American answer to that hypothesis is what might be expected. We are bidding for the entire armor plate custom of Russia, and have begun the manufacture of cruisers, sewer pipes and carthquake-proof building frames for Japan. In all probability we shall supply some of the steel rails for the Chinese and Corean railway systems. Mexico and South America are drawing on our iron manufacturers, and it will not be long before we shall compete with England 条个单 wherever she has a customer. In other words, cheapness of iron and steel in the 以份集 United States has come to stay, and whatever advantage that gives will be utilized, -San Francisco Chroniele, FOOTBALL. The Crystal Palace authorities have to pay 米芒 地波翼 津雪梨 ground. The club soon made a name for fully 2,000 men. itself in the Midlands with G. B. Ramsay as captain from 1876 to 1880, and Archie as secretary. The achievements of the Villa Music. W. Robinson & Co. Club are too numerous to mention. The formation of the Football League in 1889 林馬路 1886-87 and 1894-95. On both occasions West Bromwich Albion were the opponents of the Villa. The latter also reached, the final in 1891-92, but on that occasion West Bromwich won by three goals to nil. The Villa men have also won the Birmingham Cup, the Staffordshire Cup, and the Birmingham. Charity Cup, on numerous occa-

The rise of the Everton Club affords a striking proof of the rapid growth of the Association game in a district for many years devoted to the Rugby code. Everton Club originated from a small organization connected with a Congregational chapel. In 1879 the club took the name of Everton, and thereafter made steady progress. In 1883-84 Everton won the Liverpool Cup, and removed to the Anfieldground in the following season. In 1892-93 the members formed themselves into a limited liability company, and it was in 1892 that the present ground-Goodison Park-was opened. In 1895 this ground was purchased by the club for £8,000. It is one of the finest enclosures in the country. Everton were admitted to membership of th Football League on the formation of that body in 1889. They won the championship of the League in 1890-01. and occupied the second place in 1889-90, and 1894-95. Everton's only appearance in the final of the English Cup was in 1892-93, when they were most unexpectedly beaten by the Wolverhampton Wanderers by a goal. The great development of the interest in Association football in the Liverpool district has made Everton one of the wealthiest clubs in the country. In 1885 the sum of £39 was considered quite a large 'gate.' This was taken at a cup-tie with their local rivals, Bootle. Eleven years later the League match with Aston Villa realised a 'gate' of £1,144. The income of the club is about £10,000 per annum. Last year the enormous sum of £4,500 was paid to the players in wages and training expenses - Daily News (London).

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20th to 26th May.

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RELIGIOUS RIOTS IN SHANTUNG The Linching correspondent of the N.-O. Daily News wrote on the 30th April :--

A LONG-STANDING DISPUTE. The Roman Catholic Christians to the south-west of us are having no little trouble this week. This is one of long standing. Some eight or ten years ago, one of the R.C. converts made over to the church some land on which a temple was still standing. The giver claimed that the land was his to do with as he pleased, and it pleased him at that time to give it to the R.C. church for the purpose of building a chapel. Thereupon the priests took possession of the land, the temple was torn down, and a R.C. chapel was creeted, or at least for pig iron, but they cannot do that and partially built. This proceeding aroused the other families in the village, and the chapel was demolished, the villagers in turn at 818 tempting to erect a temple on the spot. Out of these opposing interests arose a law-suit which though invariably decided in favour of the R.C. Christians, has borne nothing but bitter fruit. How many times the villagers arose against the Christians we are unable to say, but some two or three years ago, matters had got to such a stage that the native Christians could not sow with any expectation of reaping, and a persecution was carried on against them well-nigh unendurable. Then came an outbreak such as I have mentioned, followed by an assembly of all the country officials within reach to consult with the French priests, and the decision reached that the land should belong to the R. C. party. Before narrating the recent disturbances, we need to glance at the view held by the people. Their claim was that both the land and the temple had been given the village for temple purposes; that as their ancestors had contributed to building the temple, it was the property of all and not of one individual. Hence as the THE FINANCES OF PROFESSIONAL village had never ceded the property, it still belonged to the village. THE CHRISTIANS ATTACKED.

One thing more. About a hundred years a large sum for the international match. | ago, the White Lily sect in this region rose They guarantee the Football Association a in rebellion; the rebellion was crushed, sum of £1,200, and in addition pay 6d. a but it has a successor in another sect called head for every person entering the Palace the 'Mei Hua-ch'uan.' This spring the after 30,000 has been passed, and Is. a R.C. gathered materials to the value of ten head over 40,000. Consequently, if 50,000 thousand tacks or so, preparatory to buildpeople are present this afternoon, the Association will receive a sum of £1,950 from dred men, mustly members of the above the Crystal Palace Company. The Palace | sect, came together to see what could be authorities take the revenue from the done; but separated fearing that the reserved seats, which represents a large native Christians had foreign weapons, sum. Altogether, there is seating accom- The latter thus apprised of the intenmodation for nearly 9,000 persons. Altions of their enemies, drafted all the though the Association is paid such a large men between 18 and 50 years of age sum for the match, it is really the two clubs to 'hold the fort.' For eight days they engaged in the match that derive the bene- they were not molested, but on the 27th a fit therefrom. They take the whole of the force, numbering 1,000 or more, variously receipts after certain deductions have been armed, attacked the compound, killed made to meet the expenses of the Associa- three men, and wounded seven or eight others; some three or four men were also Probably no club in the country has such | captured and are at last accounts held as a splendid reputation at the present day as prisoners in the hands of the mob. The Aston Villa. The club was founded as far rioters are threatening to destroy all properback as 1874 by some young men attending ty belonging to R.C., just as they have the Aston Villa Wesleyan Chapel. Mr G. destroyed it in this village, i.e. burn every-B. Ramsay, one of the most energetic offi- thing belonging to Roman Catholics and cials the club ever had, joined the club in tear down all their buildings, etc. Many playing ground, was secured at a rent of The rioters are increasing in number daily, £5. This year £200 was paid for the same and according to Chinese estimates, are

Hunter from 1881 to 1889. John Devey New Piano and Organ Repairing Material is the present captain, and Mr Ramsay acts and Machinery just to hand; also the latest

saw the Villa included, and since the enlarge. At the ordinary meeting of the Board of ment of the First Division to sixteen clubs in Directors of the Manchester Chamber of 1892-09, the Villa men have never been Commerce, held on 14th April, the minutes lower than fourth on the list. They won of the Trade and Merchandize Mark Comthe championship in 1893-94 and 1895-96.
This in itself is a grand record. The Eng. This in itself is a grand record The Eng. China which had been forwarded to the lish Cup has been won twice by the Villa—Chamber. The weight of the blankets, as described in Chinese characters, was stated at from & lb. to 1 lb. in each case more than that indicated by the English figures. It has, been ascertained that in one instance only a solitary shipment had been made by a highly respectable English firm, and that the Chinese characters were used without knowledge of their significance. The subject had also been brought under the notice of the India, China, and Colonial Committee. and on the recommendation of both Committees the Board resolved that, according to the evidence presented, the marks constituted a 'fraudulent description 'under the Merchandise Marks Act, and that the attention of the Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce should be drawn to them, with a view to the suppression of such Hong marks as those submitted.

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GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Wanchail. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORE ZEALAND: Gondon & Gorce, Mel-, and Panang are requested to take IMME-DIATE delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 18, 1897.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP TACOMA.

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-HAMA, KOBE AND MOJI. THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-

signous of Cargo are hereby requested TAVING been appointed AGENTS of the to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, May 18, 1897.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Thekla, Captain H. STRUB, having arrived from the above

countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be lauded into the Godowns of the Hong-HONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., LD., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th May, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will

be examined on the 24th May, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, May, 18, 1897.

SHARE LIST. - QUOTATIONS .- MAY 19, 1897.

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	preference shares j	199	675	£	8	£	2.10	nom.
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1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Gan Works to Jardine's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Daval Yard.

. 7 From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 8. From Blue Buildings to Fast Point.
9. From Kellett's Island to North Point. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Barbour Master's Office. 10. Ke wloon What vot. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. & O. Co.'s Office. 11. Jardine's Wharf. 5. From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Pecdar's Whatt.

	Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons nett.	Date of Arrival.	T APPENDIAGES OF A CASEE.	Destination,	Remarks.
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## Her Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

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lacrity igerine	despatch-vessel	1700	19 13	3000	Commander F. G. De Lisle Ocmmander E. F. Domville	Yokohama Hongkong Klaca Dock
roher	twinsorew battle ship	10,500	41	13,000	Cautain Spencer H. Login	Nogwaki
enturiou*	alsop	1150	16	2000	Commander Galloway	Hongkong
aphne ak	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence.	363	. 9	200	Lt. Com. Cladwick	Bankow
rebrand	gunboat 2nd class	455	6	360	LieutCom. Vernon Mand	Hongkong
aftont	twin-screw cruiser, lat class	7350	36	12,000	Captain B. P. Jones	Nagasaki
endy	torpedo boat destroyer	260	6	4000	Lieut. A. Gillespie	Yokohama
art	terpedo boat destroyer	260	6	4000	Lieut, H. F. Shakespear	Rongkong
umber	storeship	16:0	-	800	Commander F. W. Wyley	Hongkeng
mortalité	armoured cruiser, lat class	5600	84	8500	Captain Edward Chichester	Nagasaki
higenia	orniser 2nd class	3600	21	900	Capt. H. T. Dudding	Bingspore
ungonia	gun-vessel 2nd class	756	8	670	Commander R. C. Sparkes	Negmaki
roissus-	armoured cruiser, 1st class	6600	84	8800	Captain Wm. C. C. Foreyth	Boughong
seach	gunboat 1st class	750	10	1200	Lieut. P. S. St. John	Nagasaki -
Osix	alcop	1050	13	1	Capt. Cochrane	Sibgspore
in)	gunpost 1st class	210	.10	1200	Lient. Dormer	Singapore
quo	orgiser 2nd class	3600	21	9000	Capt. A. C. Corry	Sincapore
over	gunhout lat cines	755	10	1200	Lieux, Spencer V. Y. de Homey	Naganaki .
inbow	craiser 2nd class	3600	21	8000	Capt. V. A. Tisdall	Rougkong
ttler	gumboat lat class	716	10	1200	Lt. Com. Hon. G. A. Hardings	Hongkong,
dpole	gunboat lat class	805	10	1200	LieutCom. B. H. Grafton	Wooming
nitt	gun-vessel and class	756	8	870	Capt. R. E. McAlpine	Houserna
mar	ex-transport	2047	=	_		Houghong
roed L	g-bt. 3rd cleas coast defence	363	5	200		Bongkong
otor Emanuel	receiving ship	6157	14	100	Commocore S. Helland	House one
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## Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tona.	Guns	H.P.	Coptain	Fire at
mirai Kornisloff	Kussian gruiser	(510)	82	6000	Captain Moles	· Uhaloo
mirai Nakhimoff	Romin cruiser	7781	88	9500	Captain Kasheririnos	
rica .	Portuguese transport	1093	-		Capt. Antonio Sergio de Bous-	Manao
out	Russian gunboat	810	2	780	Captain Parenego	Visdivostock
OODA	German cruiser	2300	18	2400	Captain Recker	Yokohama
1	Spanish gunboat	808	2	600	Cenn ander R. Calena	Manila
gos	French gumboat	425		450	Contrasider louitet	Sangkok
pte	French flagship	700	26	4400	Commander Juanuet	Hongkong
yard	Portuguese gunboat	462	6	400	Capt. A. T. Da Costa e Silva	Macao
ngo bro	Russian sloop	950	13	1150	Ceptain Moise	
-	U. S. cruiser	3000	8	3500	Captain F. Wildes	Nagaraki
ston	Spanish croiser	8560	22	2690	Capk. A. Martin de Oliva	Mantle
stilla	Spanish troopship	532	2	600	Lieut. A. Barrera	Manila
bu	French gupbont	495	1.1	800	Capt. Sines	Shanghal
mote .	German cruiser	1640	8	2800	Capt. Bruseste	Nagstaki
rmoran	French cruiser	2710	22		Capt. Beengad	Shapphai
scurtes	U. B. cruiser	2200	16	5400	Capt. Reiter	Shamphal Bingapore
troit		6000	16	7000	Captain Witthofft	Nagaraki
mitri Donakol	Russian cruiser	1200	13	1628	Com. E. Rebien	
n Antonio de Ullos	Spanish cruises	1180		1800	Commander S. de la Condia	Marile
n Juan de Austria	French cruiser	1658	1. E. A.	- SCEO-		- Continue
laireur		580		600	Capte Coxine Lieux Com. F. Ramdero	Manila
CRDO	Spanish gunboat	500	0	8600	Capt. Serebrennikff	The second second second
damak	Russian gunboat Spanish troopship	1200	0	1060	Capt. R. Rodriguez Trujillo	Marilla
neral Alava		520	6	600	Lieut Com B. Banavente	Marilla
neral Lezo	Spanish gunboat	1490	12	1880	Capt. Bonokapelf	Bhanchal
emiastchy	Russian gunboat	4400	22	8000	Commander du Bofs	Lokobama
one -	German cruiser	1048	10	2200	Commender D. Regalado	Marile 19
a de Cuba	Spanish protected cruiser	1048	10	2200	Commander P. Barreto	- Marilla - 4
la de Luzon	S, anish protected cruiser	7677	15	7800	Capialii Zeye	Negrand
Tonk	German dagship	4000	29	10,000	Capt. Yediva	
aiser Frank Josef I	Austrian cruiser	#DUO	60	10,000	Capt. W. J. Derz	Yotohama
oningin Wilhelmins	Nederland cruiser	1000		2150	Capt Lindestroem	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1
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reiner	Russian aloup	1880	13	J200 600	Lieutement Gauchet	- Sellyon
01)	French gunboat	035	8		Commander Mackensie	Ourse.
achias	U. B. cruiser	1200	16	1600	The same of the sa	
anila	Spanish transport	1950		780	Lieut. Com. J. J. Osamie	· Charles
undahur	Russian sloop	1200	9	1410	Commander Kathaloff	
arques del Duero	Spanish gunboat	200	5	550	LtCom S. Morsos de Guerra	Rhapphal
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